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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
YOSHINOBU SHIRAIWA	)	Examiner: P. Huntsinger
Application No.: 10/061,155	)	Group Art Unit: 2625
Filed: February 4, 2002	)	
For: IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS,	)	May 30, 2006
CONTROL METHOD, MEMORY	)	(Tuesday After Federal Holiday)
MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM	)	
PRODUCT THEREFOR	)	
(AS AMENDED)	)	

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Prior to the examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Title

Please amend the title to read as follows.

--IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS, CONTROL METHOD, MEMORY MEDIUM, AND  
PROGRAM PRODUCT THEREFOR--.